IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows.

1.   (Currently Amended)   For use in a video display system, ~~capable of~~ ~~simultaneously displaying a main multimedia document and a plurality of additional multimedia~~ ~~documents on a display screen, a user interface system for said video display system, said~~ a user interface system comprising:

a video processor capable of receiving a main multimedia document and a plurality of additional multimedia documents from a matching engine, the matching engine capable of receiving the multimedia documents and identifying the plurality of additional multimedia documents that are at least one of visually related and conceptually related to the main multimedia document; and

a user interface controller capable of receiving at least one instruction from a user that selects a format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document,

wherein said user interface controller is capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents on ~~said~~ a display screen in the format selected by said user.

2.   (Original)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim 1 wherein said format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document comprises one of: a horizontal linear format, a vertical linear format, and a collage format.

3.   (Original)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim 1 wherein said format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document comprises at least one horizontal linear format.

4.   (Currently Amended)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim [[3]] 1 wherein said format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document further comprises at least one vertical linear format.

5.   (Original)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim 1 wherein said user interface controller is capable of receiving at least one instruction from a user that selects one of said plurality of additional multimedia documents to be displayed as a main multimedia document, and wherein said user interface controller is capable of displaying said selected one of said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen as a main multimedia document.

6.   (Original)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim 1 wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents on said display screen in a horizontal linear format, and

wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of sequentially moving said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said horizontal linear format.

7.   (Original)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim 6 wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of reversing the direction of the sequential movement of said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said horizontal linear format, and

wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of controlling the speed of movement of said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said horizontal linear format.

8.   (Original)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim 1 wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents on said display screen in a vertical linear format, and

wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of sequentially moving said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said vertical linear format.

9.   (Original)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim 8 wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of reversing the direction of the sequential movement of said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said vertical linear format, and

wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of controlling the speed of movement of said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said vertical linear format.

10.   (Currently Amended)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim 1 wherein said user interface controller comprises:

a ~~dejaVideo~~ display controller capable of executing computer software instructions contained within a memory coupled to said ~~dejaVideo~~ display controller to receive at least one instruction from a user that selects a format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document, and to display said plurality of additional multimedia documents on said display screen in the format selected by said user.

11.   (Original)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim 1 wherein said plurality of multimedia documents comprises at least one of: a multimedia document containing a link to another document location, a multimedia document containing all of a video document, a multimedia document containing a portion of a larger video document, and a multimedia document that contains a summary of a video document.

12.   (Original)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim 1 wherein said user interface controller is capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents on said display screen to cause individual multimedia documents to appear and disappear on said display screen.

13.   (Currently Amended)   The user interface system as claimed in Claim 10

wherein said ~~dejaVideo~~ display controller is capable of executing:

a collage display application capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia

documents with said main multimedia document in a collage format;

a horizontal linear display application capable of displaying said plurality of additional

multimedia documents with said main multimedia document in a horizontal linear format;

a vertical linear display application capable of displaying said plurality of additional

multimedia documents with said main multimedia document in a vertical linear format;

a multimedia document selection application capable of displaying a selected one of said

plurality of additional multimedia documents as a main multimedia document; and

a linear display control application capable of receiving at least one user instruction for

controlling the display of said additional multimedia documents in said horizontal linear format

and in said vertical linear format.

14.   (Currently Amended)   A video display system, comprising:

a system capable of receiving a plurality of multimedia documents including a main multimedia document and identifying a plurality of additional multimedia documents that are at least one of visually related and conceptually related to the main multimedia document;

a user interface system capable of simultaneously displaying [[a]] the main multimedia document and [[a]] the plurality of additional multimedia documents on a display screen, said video display system comprising a the user interface system comprising:

a user interface controller capable of receiving at least one instruction from a user that selects a format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document,

wherein said user interface controller is capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents on said display screen in the format selected by said user.

15.   (Original)   The video display system as claimed in Claim 14 wherein said format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document comprises one of: a horizontal linear format, a vertical linear format, and a collage format.

16.   (Original)   The video display system as claimed in Claim 14 wherein said format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document comprises at least one horizontal linear format.

17.   (Currently Amended)   The video display system as claimed in Claim [[16]] 14 wherein said format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document further comprises at least one vertical linear format.

18.   (Original)   The video display system as claimed in Claim 14 wherein said user interface controller is capable of receiving at least one instruction from a user that selects one of said plurality of additional multimedia documents to be displayed as a main multimedia document, and wherein said user interface controller is capable of displaying said selected one of said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen as a main multimedia document.

19.   (Original)   The video display system as claimed in Claim 14 wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents on said display screen in a horizontal linear format, and

wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of sequentially moving said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said horizontal linear format.

20.   (Original)   The video display system as claimed in Claim 19 wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of reversing the direction of the sequential movement of said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said horizontal linear format, and

wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of controlling the speed of movement of said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said horizontal linear format.

21.   (Original)   The video display system as claimed in Claim 14 wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents on said display screen in a vertical linear format, and

wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of sequentially moving said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said vertical linear format.

22.   (Original)   The video display system as claimed in Claim 21 wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of reversing the direction of the sequential movement of said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said vertical linear format, and

wherein in response to receiving a user instruction, said user interface controller is capable of controlling the speed of movement of said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said vertical linear format.

23.   (Currently Amended)   The video display system as claimed in Claim 14 wherein said user interface controller comprises:

a ~~dejaVideo~~ display controller capable of executing computer software instructions contained within a memory coupled to said ~~dejaVideo~~ display controller to receive at least one instruction from a user that selects a format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document, and to display said plurality of additional multimedia documents on said display screen in the format selected by said user.

24.   (Original)   The video display system as claimed in Claim 14 wherein said plurality of multimedia documents comprises at least one of: a multimedia document containing a link to another document location, a multimedia document containing all of a video document, a multimedia document containing a portion of a larger video document, and a multimedia document that contains a summary of a video document.

25. (Original) The video display system as claimed in Claim 14 wherein said user interface controller is capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents on said display screen to cause individual multimedia documents to appear and disappear on said display screen.

26. (Currently Amended) The video display system as claimed in Claim 23 wherein said ~~dejaVideo~~ display controller is capable of executing:

a collage display application capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document in a collage format;

a horizontal linear display application capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document in a horizontal linear format;

a vertical linear display application capable of displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document in a vertical linear format;

a multimedia document selection application capable of displaying a selected one of said plurality of additional multimedia documents as a main multimedia document; and

a linear display control application capable of receiving at least one user instruction for controlling the display of said additional multimedia documents in said horizontal linear format and in said vertical linear format.

27.   (Currently Amended)   For use in a video display system, ~~capable of~~ ~~simultaneously displaying a main multimedia document and a plurality of additional multimedia~~ ~~documents on a display screen, a method for providing a user interface for said video display~~ ~~system, said~~ a method comprising the steps of:

receiving a plurality of multimedia documents including a main multimedia document;

identifying a plurality of additional multimedia documents that are at least one of visually related and conceptually related to the main multimedia document;

receiving at least one instruction from a user in a user interface controller that selects a format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document; and

displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents on said display screen in the format selected by said user.

28.   (Original)   The method as claimed in Claim 27 wherein said format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document comprises one of: a horizontal linear format, a vertical linear format, and a collage format.

29.   (Original)   The method as claimed in Claim 27 wherein said format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document comprises at least one horizontal linear format.

30.   (Currently Amended)   The method as claimed in Claim [[29]] 27 wherein

said format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main

multimedia document comprises at least one vertical linear format.

31.   (Original)   The method as claimed in Claim 27 further comprising the steps

of:

receiving at least one instruction from a user in a user interface controller that selects one

of said plurality of additional multimedia documents to be displayed as a main multimedia

document; and

displaying said selected one of said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on

said display screen as a main multimedia document.

32.   (Original)   The method as claimed in Claim 27 further comprising the steps of:

receiving a user instruction to display said plurality of multimedia documents on said display screen in horizontal linear format;

displaying said plurality of multimedia documents on said display screen in said horizontal linear format;

receiving a user instruction to sequentially move said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said horizontal linear format; and

sequentially moving said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said horizontal linear format.

33.   (Original)   The method as claimed in Claim 27 further comprising the steps of:

receiving a user instruction to display said plurality of multimedia documents on said display screen in vertical linear format;

displaying said plurality of multimedia documents on said display screen in said vertical linear format;

receiving a user instruction to sequentially move said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said vertical linear format; and

sequentially moving said plurality of said additional multimedia documents on said display screen within said vertical linear format.

34.   (Currently Amended)   The method as claimed in Claim 27 further comprising the steps of:

executing a collage display application in a ~~dejaVideo~~ display controller to display said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document in a collage format when a user instruction is received that requests said collage format;

executing a horizontal linear display application in a ~~dejaVideo~~ display controller to display said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document in a horizontal linear format when a user instruction is received that requests said horizontal linear format; and

executing a vertical linear display application in a ~~dejaVideo~~ display controller to display said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document in a vertical linear format when a user instruction is received that requests said vertical linear format.

35.   (Currently Amended)   The method as claimed in Claim 27 further comprising the steps of:

receiving in a ~~dejaVideo~~ display controller a main multimedia document and a plurality of additional multimedia documents;

displaying said main multimedia document on a central portion of said display screen;

receiving a user instruction that selects a format for displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents;

displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document in a collage format when said user instruction requests said collage format;

displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document in a horizontal linear format when said user instruction requests said horizontal linear format; and

displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents with said main multimedia document in a vertical linear format when said user instruction requests said vertical linear format.

36.   (Original)   The method as claimed in Claim 32 further comprising the step of:

controlling the speed of movement of said plurality of said multimedia documents on said display screen within said horizontal linear format.

37.   (Original)   The method as claimed in Claim 33 further comprising the step of:

controlling the speed of movement of said plurality of said multimedia documents on said

display screen within said vertical linear format.

38.   (Original)   The method as claimed in Claim 27 further comprising the step of:

displaying said plurality of additional multimedia documents on said display screen to

cause individual multimedia documents to appear and disappear on said display screen.